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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: CGEN, GE

SUBJECT: US-GDR CONSULAR CONVENTION

REF: BERLIN 8041

1. DEPT IS ENCOURAGED BY APPARENT GDR WILLINGNESS TO SEEK SOLUTION OF NATIONALITY ISSUE AND INCLINATION TO ACCEPT SOME SORT OF EXCHANGE SEPARATE FROM CONSULAR CONVENTION WHICH WOULD PERMIT EACH SIDE TO EXPRESS DIFFERING VIEWS. IT IS ALSO USEFUL TO KNOW WHAT GDR HAS IN MIND ON SUBSTANCE, AND WE WILL WANT TO ENCOURAGE EAST GERMANS TO CONTINUE TO CONFIDE IN US ON THE PROBLEM.

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2. PRESENT WORDING OF TEXTS AS PROPOSED BY GDR DOES NOT APPEAR TO BE ACCEPTABLE. DEPT WILL STUDY INFORMAL GDR PROPOSAL CAREFULLY, HOWEVER, AS IT CONSIDERS TEXT AND FORMAT FOR US COMMUNICATION TO GDR AND AS CONSULTATIONS IN BONN GROUP PROCEED. DEPT CONCURS WITH EMBASSY THAT IT WOULD BE PREMATURE TO DISCUSS WITH OTHER GOVERNMENTS GDR PROPOSAL MADE IN THE CONTEXT OF INFORMAL CONSULTATIONS.

3. IF EMBASSY CONSIDERS IT USEFUL, IT MAY INFORM MFA THAT
DEPT IS STUDYING GDR PROPOSAL. SOME TIME MAY BE

REQUIRED TO WORK OUT SUBSTANCE, FORM AND SCENARIO FOR US
RESPONSE. YOU MAY REASSURE GDR THAT ANY U.S. STATEMENT
WILL NOT BE POLEMICAL BUT STRICTLY DRAFTED TO MOVE
CONSULAR CONVENTION FORWARD ON MUTUALLY ACCEPTABLE BASIS.
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